

8:Kostenko-12-G-4,5(1868-80)1880 RL1 Turkestan RL1

141 medium size; the lips are thick, the teeth
142 medium; the chin is round, the ears are small
and flattened; the hair is black and smooth;
the beard is sparse and tough. The skin is
smooth, the neck powerful and the extremities
medium.

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197 They speak Chinese and wear Chinese
302 costume but nevertheless they shave their heads.
463 Their occupations are agriculture, gardening
and various crafts. They make no celebration
844 when a child is born. The mother remains in
846 bed for fifteen days. The child receives its
553 name the day after it is born, in the presence
852 of the mullah. The circumcision of boys is
583 performed on the eighth, ninth or tenth day.
764 A girl who is marrying receives a dowry. /332/
765 After death the body is wrapped in a white cloth
and buried directly in the ground. After the
587 burial the mullahs and relatives gather for a
593 funeral feast. A widow may remarry after the
lapse of ninety days. In family life parental
291 authority is very strong and the father is the
181 absolute head of the family. The women do not
cover their faces. These people are outstanding
for their high morals, industry and hospitality.

101 12) The Kalmyks, and the Torgouts who
221 are related to them, ²/_A are nomads. The former
nomadize in the Vernoye and Issyk-Kul uyezds
of the Semirechie oblast, and the latter in
the Kuldja region, around Kunges. Since 1878
the Torgouts have begun to migrate to Yulduz.

162 The 13) Sibo (13,318 persons), the
101 14) Solons (4,182 persons), and the 15) Kara-
Kiti(3,032 persons) belong to the Mongol (read
Manchu-Tungusic, ed.) peoples. The majority
of them (21,932 persons, male and female) live
X [The Dungins, see cat. 116, p. 11--Analysis]